81-06-Supervised Release Services

Fund/Agency: 001/81	781 Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court					
Personnel Services	\$593,094					
Operating Expenses	\$68,121					
Recovered Costs	\$O	CAPS Percentage of Agency Total				
Capital Equipment	\$0					
Total CAPS Cost:	\$661,215	3.9%				
Federal Revenue	\$0					
State Revenue	\$364,597					
User Fee Revenue	\$0					
Other Revenue	\$12,791					
Total Revenue:	\$377,388	96.1%				
Net CAPS Cost:	\$283,827					
		■ Supervised Release Services □ All Other Agency CAPS				
Positions/SYE involved in the delivery of this CAPS	13/11					

▶ CAPS Summary

Supervised Release Services (SRS) is made up of the Court's Outreach Detention Program and its Electronic Monitoring Program. These services provide highly structured supervision, monitoring, and services to juveniles who are awaiting adjudication or final disposition of charges, and who might otherwise be detained at the Juvenile Detention Center or placed at the Less Secure Shelter at a much higher cost per placement. This service substantially reduces the number of youth placed in detention or shelter care. Judges may release juveniles to SRS at a detention hearing or an adjudicatory hearing on the condition that they follow rules established by the Court in conjunction with SRS staff. State standards mandate a caseload of 5 to 7 youth per counselor. Current overcrowding in this program has resulted in SRS staff caseloads of up to 12 youth each.

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▶ Method of Service Provision

Fairfax County staff provide Supervised Release Services. Program staff are available 24 hours per day, 365 days per year. SRS staff meet with the assigned juveniles immediately after their release to SRS, or within 24 hours, to establish SRS rules as required by State minimum standards. Staff also orient juveniles to other expectations, such as frequency and place of visits, and sanctions for rule violations. SRS staff visit juveniles four times per week which includes at least once every other day, weekdays, weekends, and holidays. Visits take place at a juvenile's home, place of employment, or school. Staff contact parents or guardians at least weekly. Additional telephone contacts are made as deemed necessary or in crisis situations.

Performance/Workload Related Data

Title	FY 1998 Actual	FY 1999 Actual	FY 2000 Actual	FY 2001 Estimate	FY 2002 Estimate
SRS Child Care Days	22,931	20,942	20,622	21,024	21,024
SRS Utilization Rate	120%	109%	117%	120%	120%
SRS Cost per Child Care Day	\$23	\$17	\$20 est.	\$20	\$20

Mandate Information

This CAPS is Federally or State mandated. The percentage of this CAPS' resources utilized to satisfy the mandate is 76 - 100%. The specific Federal or State code and a brief description of the code follows:

Code of Virginia Section 16.1 - 235